

A young boy with short brown hair, wearing a white and black sleeveless shirt, is smiling broadly while holding a large, dark-colored catfish. The fish is held vertically, with its head near the boy's face. The background shows a white plastic mesh fence and some outdoor equipment. The text "Alvin" is written in a large, white, serif font in the top left corner.

Alvin

**April - December
2011**

Adventure Guide

Catch Big Fun This Summer!

Alvin Parks & Recreation

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What's Inside

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to provide quality parks and leisure opportunities to all Alvin citizens with a vision to meet the needs for future citizens.

Summer Registration

Thursday, April 14, 2011 from
6:00– 8:00 PM.

Alvin Senior Center, 309 West Sealy.

After April 14th register in the Recreation office, 309 W Sealy, or call (281) 388-4299 to check for available class space before the session start date.



Message from the Parks & Recreation Team

We are excited to welcome you to the 2011 Adventure Guide! We are committed to providing you with the best leisure experience possible. As you browse the adventure guide we hope you find something new and exciting for all your summer fun!

We know you will find something for you! We offer award winning Red Cross swim lessons, beginning on June 6th . Don't need lessons, the Bob S. Owen Aquatic center still has something to offer .Join us the first Tuesday of every month for Party at the Pool , or take a dip during open swim.

You will find the Adventure guide packed full of phenomenal family events..Trust us, you wont want to miss a single one! Mothers and Daughters (May 6-7), Fathers and Son's (June 17-18) and even that 4 legged family member will be bursting with excitement! (October 23) GET STARTED planning your summer.
New things are in store Alvin ...Join the momentum !

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Stay Informed



Aquatic Club

The Alvin Aquatic Club's "Gator" swim team is a competitive swim team open to swimmers of all ages. The youth team is designed for swimmers ages 5 to 18 and the adult team is for those 19 and up. Anyone can participate as long as they are able to swim 25 yards un-assisted. The program is designed to develop the skills necessary for competitive swimming in a fun and challenging environment. Swimmers will be taught all 4 strokes: backstroke, butterfly, breaststroke, freestyle as well as proper starts and flip turns. Swimmers can practice daily with the team at the Alvin High School pool and participate in competitive meets on Saturday mornings throughout the Gulf Coast, a regional qualifier and a T.A.A.F. state meet for the qualifying athletes.

Registration will be **March 29th AHS Pool**

For more info log on to

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Anytime there are updates or fun events you will be the first to know!

As a PADI certified diver, the most widely recognized certification, you have the freedom to participate in a variety of diving activities throughout the world! Registrants must be at least 10 years of age to participate. Course consists of two, three-hour classroom sessions followed by two, three-hour pool sessions and two morning sessions at a local lake the following Friday and Saturday. Throughout the course, you'll learn fundamentals of SCUBA diving, including dive equipment and techniques. With the successful completion of multiple choice tests and water skills, you will become a certified open water diver. Course fee includes book, electronic dive table, equipment rental fee and entrance to a local lake.

Step 1: Academic Training - This is where you will learn the basic principles and knowledge needed for safe and enjoyable diving.

Step 2: Pool Training - During our pool sessions the basic diving skills are taught in a relaxed, stress free and enjoyable manner.

Step 3: Open Water Training - Once you have mastered the essential information and skills taught in the classroom and pool, you are ready to continue your training by applying these principles in Open Water. **Four dives are conducted under the direct supervision of our highly trained professional scuba instructor.** This will be done at one of the local lakes.

Course Fee: \$280.00 Per Session

Course Dates: Session 1 June 9-11 and 17-18

Session 2 July 14-16 and 22-23

Session 3 August 4-6 and 12-13



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Receive your FREE recycling bin and get started today!

Call (281) 388-4393



The Friends of Alvin Parks Foundation, a non-profit 501C-3 organization, is established to benefit the Alvin Parks and Recreation Department. Want to contribute to the quality of Life in Alvin? Donations can be made to the Foundation on behalf of yourself or in memory of a loved one. Call 281-388-4299 for more information.

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Programs—Fast Forward Kids

LEGO MANIA Ages 4-7 No builder can say “Lego my Lego!” when engaged in the creative activities of LEGO MANIA! “Zillions” of pieces ensure that there is always enough for everyone! This innovative program for Lego buffs provides opportunities for imagination and hands-on learning under the guidance of a certified educator. Over 15 new games, projects and activities not found in stores will be planned and manipulated. Enrichment in the areas of personal creativity, following instructions, eye-hand coordination, problem solving, critical thinking and learning will be experienced as the child has the opportunity to construct dinosaurs, rockets, castles, airplanes, forts, cars, and much more!

Date : June 6-10 **Cost : \$89.00**

Time 11:30– 1:30

Place Alvin Jr. High



LEGO LOGO Ages 8-12 Lego Logo brings young technicians into a creative, engineering environment. Not found in stores, the special Lego Logo kits provide extraordinary opportunities for the hands-on construction. Under the guidance of a certified educator, along with detailed technical plans to follow, the participant will build robots, race cars, four-by-four trucks, cranes, pulleys, levers, and more during this energized week of discovery with Lego! Motivated by fun, creativity, and success, the young builder will expand knowledge of math, science, and technology in an exploratory hands-on cooperative environment.

Date : June 6-10

Time 9:00-11:00 & 2:00-4:00

Place Alvin Jr. High



Cost : \$89.00

CAMP BARBIE Ages 4-8 **BARBIES, BARBIES, EVERYWHERE!!!** At Camp Barbie you will have loads of fun helping Barbie learn the many things she needs to know to become a great girl. You and Barbie will have a great time learning to dress for the occasion, practicing good manners, making new friends, importance of school work, how to use money, dreaming of careers, attending social functions, hearing great stories, practicing talents, cooking tips, art and much more! Non-stop activities, and fun learning adventures, all about self-esteem development. Your certified teacher has developed a rich and meaningful curriculum full of objectives, and supporting activities. Wonderful new ideas for creative learning are waiting for you!

Date : June 6-10

Cost : \$89.00

Time 11:30-1:30

Place Alvin Jr. High

FASHION DESIGNER Ages 8-12

Young girls graduate from playing dress up to designing their own fashions by using the same design principles used by professionals. Principles including basic sketching techniques, coordinating colors for the best effect, mixing textures and patterns for scale and perception, and cultural fashion history will be applied to each girls' personal style and portfolio. Designs come to life with beautifully patterned papers, ribbons, sequins, jewels, and oodles of other embellishments. Collaborative “design team” challenges make this hands-on, minds-on adventure into the world of design very exciting. No sewing in this class.



Date : June 6-10

Time 9:00-11:00

Place Alvin Jr. High

Cost : \$89.00

JUMPSTART KINDERGARTEN Ages 4-6 Fast paced, fun filled activities directly related to the act of reading. Develop self esteem, confidence, and motivation to move forward in the reading experience. The literature of “Story Time” enhances auditory and comprehension skills. The emergent literacy books of “Interactive Reading Time” address visual discrimination through the introduction of small, controlled vocabulary. “Games Time” provides kinesthetic activity while enhancing visual and auditory skills as related to sound/symbol association, as well as the daily construction of manipulative take-home games. All sessions are both light hearted and meaningful. Participant happiness built on daily measurable success is a priority with Kindergarten Jumpstart. We'll read about The Farm! The Circus! The Zoo! The Jungle! And so much more.

Date : June 6-10

Cost : \$89.00

Time: 2:00-4:00

Place: Alvin Jr. High



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Programs

Friday Night Out



Feel like there is nothing in town just for you? That is all about to change! Join us for all the fun and excitement at Friday Night Out! Dance the night away to a professional DJ spinning, or play some laser tag in the gym, take a dip in the pool, hang out with friends. The best part is, NO PARENTS allowed! Ages 11-14

Location: Alvin Jr. High

Time: 7:00PM—10:00 PM

Fee: \$10.00

Dates: May 13 & 27th June 3rd & 24th July 15th & 29th

Laser Tag League



Do you enjoy laser tag? Are you one of the most competitive people you know? Then this league is for you! Alvin Parks and Recreation is gearing up for this action packed new sport. Leagues will play in teams of 5 in two age brackets. Every Monday Night is game night.

Location: National Oak Park

Time: 6:00 PM— 8:00 PM

Dates: June 6— July 18 (No Games July 4th)

Fee: \$65.00

Age Brackets: Youth: 9-13 Adult: 14 and Up

Party at the Pool

Join us the first Tuesday of each month for a party at the pool! Enjoy late night hours at the pool and a free treat! Regular pool admission fees apply



Location: Bob S. Owen Aquatic Center

Time: 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Dates: Tuesday June 7th
Tuesday July 5th
Tuesday August 9th

WEATHER POLICY

The Bob S. Owen Aquatic Center will be closed during electrical storms and other dangerous weather conditions. Swimming lessons will be made up on the Friday following the rain-out. In the event of extended days of poor weather, free day passes or partial refunds will be given at the discretion of the Recreation Coordinator.

LEARN TO SWIM

As a parent enrolling your children in swim lessons is one of the most important decisions you can make for you and your child. Our staff includes American Red Cross Water Safety Instructors with an extensive aquatic background who are trained to effectively teach you and your child how to swim and be safe in a water environment. Whether you are trying to get your infant acquainted with water for the first time or perfect your child's strokes, there is a class for you. Check out the course descriptions on the following page to evaluate which level best fits your needs. Class registration begins on April 14th from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. at the Alvin Senior Center, 309 W. Sealy. If you miss registration stop by the recreation office to get signed up.

Class, Location, Dates & Times: See Page 6

LEARN TO SWIM PRICES

Parent Child & Preschool: \$30 (resident)
\$40 (non-resident)

Levels I-VI: \$40 (resident)
\$50 (non-resident)

ADULT OPEN SWIM

Swimming offers the best exercise you can get for cardiovascular conditioning and muscle toning! Adult open swim offers a time when adults over 18 can enjoy the benefits of swimming.

Location: Harby Jr. High

Time: 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Dates: Monday - Friday (Year-round)

Fee: \$15 per person per month

LAP SWIM

This program is open to all ages! Swimmers under the age of 15 must be accompanied by an adult. Pool is available for both lap swim and water walking during this time. Family passes are available year round.

Location: Harby Jr. High

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Dates: Monday - Thursday (Year-round)

Fee: \$20 per month
\$40 family pass per month

Learn to Swim

Help your child learn essential motor skills while developing an awareness for the water, increasing their self confidence while having fun! Enroll your child in any of our many Red Cross Learn - To - Swim Classes.

RED CROSS CERTIFIED

Our Learn-to-Swim Instructors are American Red Cross Certified. Water Safety Instructors' are persons 16 years or older with swimming experience who have gone through 36+ hours of instruction to effectively teach you or your child to swim and be safe in a water environment.

FIRST DAY EVALUATIONS

On the first day of each session, students will be informally evaluated to determine whether or not they are in the appropriate class. Necessary adjustments will be made during this time.

PARENT & CHILD: 9-36 months

This class helps familiarize young children to the water and prepare them swim in the Preschool class and LTS levels I-VI. It is not designed to teach them to be good swimmers or to survive in the water on their own.

PRESCHOOL: 4-5 years

These lessons are designed to orient preschool aged children to the aquatic environment and help them acquire rudimentary levels of basic aquatic skills.

LEVEL I

These lessons are for first time swimmers and focus on the orientation of participants to the aquatic environment. It will help develop positive attitudes, good swimming habits and safe practices in and around water.

LEVEL II

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level I and are ready to build on the basic water skills including learning how to float without support.

LEVEL III Stroke Development

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level II. These swimmers should be ready for additional guided practice in deeper water.

LEVEL IV Stroke Improvement

This class is designed for swimmers who have successfully completed Level III. The students will develop confidence in strokes learned in Level III and improve other aquatic skills.

LEVEL V Stroke Refinement

This class is designed to coordinate and refine key strokes presented in the Learn-to-Swim program and to introduce many skills used in competitive swimming.

LEVEL VI Personal Water Safety

This class is designed for swimmers to strengthen and polish their strokes, learn personal safety and rescue skills (this training does not certify the student as a professional rescuer).

Learn to Swim Schedule

Session 1: June 6 - 16

Class	Days	Time
Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	10:00a.m.-10:25a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 a.m. - 11:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:25 p.m.
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 a.m. - 11:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 p.m. - 6:55 p.m.
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Session 3: July 5 - 14

Will have class Friday July 8th

Class	Days	Time
Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:25 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:25 p.m.
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:25 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 p.m. - 6:55 p.m.
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

Session 2: June 20 - June 30

Class	Days	Time
Parent & Child	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:25 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:25 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:25 p.m.
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:30 a.m. - 11:55 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:30 p.m. - 6:55 p.m.
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.

Session 4: July 18 - 28

Class	Days	Time
Preschool	Mon. - Thur.	10:30 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.
Level I	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
Level II	Mon. - Thur.	10:00 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
Level III	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
Level IV	Mon. - Thur.	9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
Level V	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.
Level VI	Mon. - Thur.	11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

POOL LOCATION

Bob S. Owen Aquatic Center
919 Bayou Dr.

Annual Special Events

Barktoberfest



Featuring Heart of Texas Dock Dogs Competition, Canine Condo Contest, Skyhoundz Disc Competition, Pooch Pageant, Pet Adoptions, Doggie Dash Fun Run, Demonstrations, Pet Vendors, Meet the Breeds, Hot Dog Eating Contest, Blessing of the Animals and so much more. We are *pawsitive* this is an event you won't want to miss! For more info call 281-388-4299.

Date: October 23

Time: 10:00 AM

Location: National Oak Park

YELLOW JACKET TAIL GATE

We've got spirit, yes we do, we've got spirit, how about you! Come show your community spirit by supporting the boys of fall. Get your tailgate supplies together and join us for this fabulous fall event. Stop by the Parks and Rec. tent dressed in spirit attire and get a treat on the house!

Date: First Home Game

Time: 3:00PM.- 8:00 PM

Location: Alvin Memorial Stadium

SPLASHMANIA

It's a Labor Day weekend worth staying in town for! Enjoy free refreshments, mobile gaming truck, and a professional DJ while saying farewell to summer. Bring your friends and family and have a blast at the Aquatic Center for the last time in 2011!

Date: September 5, 2011

Time: 12:30 - 6:00 PM

Location: Bob S. Owen Aquatic Center

Fee: FREE

MOTHER DAUGHTER SLEEPOVER

Ladies 12 & under are invited to bring their Mom to the Third Annual Mother Daughter Sleep Over. This is an evening sure to make lasting memories and strengthen that mother daughter bond. Food, fun and a fabulous good time await you, so don't miss out on this one of a kind opportunity!

Date: May 6-7, 2011

Time: Friday May 6 - 5:30 PM Check-In

Saturday May 7 - 9:00 AM Check-Out

Location: Alvin Senior Center

Fee: \$20/person

Summer Movie Series

Come enjoy a family movie from the 50 yard line as we fire up the Jumbotron! Pack a picnic, bring your blankets and chairs and enjoy a movie in the summer night air! Movies will begin around dusk.

June 10th Mega Mind

July 8th The Blind Side

August 12th Despicable Me

Time: Dusk (Around 8:00 PM)

Location: Alvin HS Memorial Stadium

FREE

ECO-FEST

Do your part to reduce your mark! Join us for our 3rd Annual Eco-Fest. Gather up all your recyclable material and bring it out! Glass, electronics, paper, metals, and more!

Date: November 12, 2011

Time: 10:00 AM

Location: National Oak Park

18th Annual
TOUR DE BRAZ BIKE RIDE
2011



June 12, 2011

Alvin Community College

Register Online at www.tourdebraz.com



Go Green, Keep it Clean !...All Parks and Recreation Sponsored events have gone green. Look for ways to do your part.



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Annual Special Events

FATHER SON CAMPOUT

Turn off the TV, pull out the tent and get set for some outdoor fun! This event strengthens the bond between father and son with games, activities and nature.

Date: June 17-18, 2011
Time: 5:30 PM (Check in on Friday June 17)
9:30 AM (Check out on Saturday June 18)
Location: National Oak Park, 118 S. Magnolia
Fee: \$20 per person



SANTA'S MAILBOXES

Drop off your letter to the big man himself ...Santa!

Date: Nov. 29 - Dec. 20 , 2011

Location: In front of the Alvin HEB and Kroger stores



Santa Calls

Would You Like Santa to visit your house? Through a partnership with the Parks and Rec. Department he now makes house calls! Santa will visit, read a book and drop off a treat! House calls are available on an appointment basis and appointments are limited. Please Book your Appointment at least one week in advance!

Date: Nov. 29 - Dec. 20 , 2011
Location: Your Home
Cost: \$20.00 for 30 Min
\$30.00 for 60 Min



HOMETOWN FESTIVAL-FISH FEST

Come catch a good time and some fish at the Hometown Festival! Join us for a day of fishing as we fill catch tanks in the middle of National Oak Park , all equipment will be provided.

Date: September 3, 2011
Time: 9:00 AM- 3:00 PM
Location: National Oak Park
Fee: FREE

MOTHER SON SUMMER BLAST

Come have a BLAST at the Second Annual Mother Son Summer Blast! Mothers and Sons (5-12) team up to play outdoor modern warfare Laser Tag! Enjoy dinner and some competitive fun. Put your game face on and leave the skirts at home!

Date: Friday, September 23
Time: 6:00PM-8:00 PM
Location: National Oak Park
Fee: \$20.00 Per Person

TRICK OR TREAT TRAIL

Trick or Treat in a safe and friendly environment with treat stations sponsored by local businesses scattered along the trail with fun activities and yummy treats!

Date: Monday, October 31, 2011
Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm
Location: National Oak Park
Fee: FREE

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAY'S

Alvin CVB and Alvin Parks and Rec. will be spreading some holiday cheer. Join us for vendors, entertainment, activities and more! The forecast is predicting snow with a chance of Santa ! Bring out the family. It will be SNOW much fun!

Date: Saturday, December 3, 2011
Location: National Oak Park
Time: All Day

4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Date: July 4, 2011
Time: 7:30 PM (Alvin Community Band)
9 PM (Fireworks)
Location: Alvin Community College



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Seniors on the Go!

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MS. ALVIN PAGEANT

This is not just a beauty pageant, but rather an event that personifies the age of elegance, dignity, maturity, and the “inner beauty” of women 60 years young and up. Winner will represent the Senior Center in local events as well as going on to compete in the Ms. Senior Texas Pageant. Sign-up to be a contestant or come to cheer on your friends. Tickets will be sold at the Senior Center



Date: April 8, 2011

Time: 6:00 -9:00 PM

Fee: \$5.00

SENIOR SPLASH

This is the perfect opportunity to take a dip at the pool with your friends from the Senior Center. We will be serving up some summer favorites pool side and we won't tell anyone if you don't wait an hour to go back in the pool. Be sure to RSVP.

Date: June 14, July 12 , August 9

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Bob S. Owen Aquatic Center

Cost : \$2 per person

LUAU

Summer wouldn't be the same without our annual Luau! Put on your grass skirt and head to the senior center for delicious Hawaiian food and Ukulele Band. Be sure to RSVP.

Date: July 13, 2011

Time: 11:00 AM

Location: Alvin Senior Center

Cost : \$5 per person

FALL BBQ & OPEN HOUSE

Kick off fall with a good old fashioned barbeque and open house! Help us celebrate the arrival of fall and the arrival of our new fall programs. Be sure to RSVP.

Date: August 26, 2011

Time: 10 AM - 2 PM

Location: Alvin Senior Center

Cost: FREE!!

SENIOR PROM

Come swing and sway to the sounds of your generation as we enjoy the sounds of Ballroom music and dance the night away. Enjoy a spread of hors d'oeuvres and get swept off your feet !

Date: June 21, 2011

Time: 7:00 PM Dance

Location: Sr. Center

Cost: \$8.00/person



PROGRAMS

Program	Days	Time
Quilting	Mondays	6-8:30 p.m.
Games	Mon. & Fri	1:00 p.m.
Mah Jongg	Wednesdays	1:00 p.m.
T.O.P.S.	Tuesdays	6:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Dance Fitness	M,W,F	10:15- 11:15
Learning Lunches	2nd Thursday	11:00 am .
Painting	Wednesdays	1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
ACES	Mon, Wed, Fri	9:00 a.m.
Barbershop Chorus	Tuesdays	6:00 p.m.
ActionS	Monday - Friday	8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Crocheting	Thursdays	1:30 - 3:00 p.m.
Square Dancing	Wednesdays	7:30 p.m.
Domino Tourn.	2nd Monday	1:00 p.m.
Lonestar Legal Aid	By Appointment	By Appointment
Card BINGO	3rd Wed.	10:00 a.m.
Body Recall	Mon, Wed, Fri	1:00 - 2:00 p.m.
Tai Chi	Tuesday , Thursday	:8:30-9:30
Cake Decorating	Dates Vary	10:00am-12:00pm.
Cards and Dogs	1st Tuesday	10:00-11:00
Wii Wednesday	1st Wed	10:00-11:00
Breakfast and Bones	Wednesdays	8:00-11:00

Be a Senior On The Go! Pick up a monthly newsletter to see what trips we have to offer and get on our Quarterly Mailing List. Or check out the website

www.alvinparksandrec.blogspot.com

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Park & Facility Information

BOB S. OWEN AQUATIC CENTER

919 Bayou Dr • (281) 388-4352

The pool is open to the public Saturday and Sunday May 28-29, 2011 and September 3, 2011 to September 5, 2011. The pool will be open 7 days a week June 4 - August 21, 2011. The pool features: mushroom fountain, outdoor showers, pavilions, picnic tables, shade area, three tube slides and a zero depth splash area.

ADMISSION

Gate Price: \$4.00(resident)
 \$5.00 (nonresident)

Summer Pass: \$60.00/person

Family Summer Pass: \$100.00/family (2-5)

Passes can be purchased at the pool or at the Alvin Parks and Recreation Office, 309 W Sealy, 281-388-4299.

POOL HOURS

Monday - Sunday 12:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

POOL RENTALS

The Bob S. Owen pool is available for rentals from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., 9:00 - 11:00 p.m., or 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. and Saturday Mornings Only from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. during the summer season . Reservations accepted starting April 14th. Payment must be made in full at time of reservation.

Fees: \$125(resident) \$145(non-resident)/2 hours
\$250(resident) \$290(non-resident)/4hours

ALVIN SENIOR CENTER

309 W. Sealy • (281) 388-4298

The Alvin Senior Center is open to the public year round. This 10,000 square foot facility features: 2 large meeting rooms, a music room, a computer room with 4 internet ready computers, a TV lounge, craft room and 1 billiard table.

CENTER HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SENIOR CENTER RENTALS

The Alvin Senior Center is a great facility for birthdays, weddings, graduation parties, baby showers, or any type of event. All of the many different size meeting rooms are available for your next event! Please call (281) 388-4298 for rental rates and to check date availability.

PAVILION RENTALS

All pavilions are available for rentals on a first come first serve basis and have a 2 hour minimum.

Day Usage: \$20 for 2 hours (resident)
 \$40 for 2 hours (non-resident)

Lights*: \$40 for 2 hours (resident)
 \$60 for 2 hours (non-resident)

**National Oak & Ruben Adame Parks only.*

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